

Docket No.: 6045P002

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:

KIM Y. KAO, ET AL.

Application No.: 09/707,647

Filed: November 7, 2000

For: Method and Apparatus for Selecting, Monitoring,

and Controlling Electrically Powered Devices

Art Group: 2182

Examiner: Tammara R. Peyton

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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

**Assistant Commissioner for Patents** Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F. R. § 1.136(a), Applicants for the above-identified application respectfully Petition the Commissioner for a one (1) month extension of time, extending the period for response to November 24, 2002, from the Office Action dated July 24, 2002. The petition filing fee of \$55.00 and a Amendment and Response to Office Action are attached.

If it should be determined that a longer extension of time is required to prevent this application from being abandoned, please charge any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 02-2666. A copy of the Fee Transmittal is enclosed for deposit account charging purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class mail with sufficient

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